

**Lower Level, City Council Chambers  
57 E. First Street**

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1. Chair's Call to Order.
2. Items from Citizens Present.\*
3. Approval of minutes from the October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2014 meeting.
4. Discuss and take action on Mesa Police Department Report.
  - Report on police related incidents and activities.
  - Updates and scheduling of upcoming Police Advisory Board meetings.
5. Hear, discuss, and take action on items presented by the Youth Diversity Education Team Sub-Committee.
  - Provide an update on expanding youth involvement with the Community Cinema Series.
  - Provide an update on Diversity Youth Survey in order to explore ways to connect with youth and educate them on diversity related issues.
  - Provide an update on MLK Committee's Youth Leadership Development Conference.
  - Provide an update on exploring and assessing whether bullying is an issue in Mesa.
6. Hear, discuss and take action on items presented by the Disabilities Action Team Sub-Committee.
  - Provide an update on the housing opportunities provided by the City of Mesa for people with disabilities.
  - Provide an update on town hall meetings to educate the community, business, and leadership on mental health and substance abuse issues.
  - Provide an update on the need for and feasibility of creating a Psychiatric Recovery Center in the East Valley.

- Provide an update on the ways to evaluate the adequacy of services and programs for people with disabilities and the implementation of ADA.
7. Discuss consider and take action on participation in 2015 Mesa MLK Jr. Celebration Events.
    - MLK Dinner to be held on January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2015 at 6pm.
    - MLK Parade to be held on January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015 in Downtown Mesa from 11am-12pm.
  8. Discuss, consider and take action on participation in 2015 Regional Unity Walk.
  9. Hear, discuss and take action on conferences and/or meetings.
    - Regional HRC Meeting scheduled for January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2015 from 5-7pm at ASU's Sky Song, Building 3- Synergy II, suite 135.
  10. Discuss and take action on scheduling of meetings, future agenda items, and general information.
    - Next meeting will be held on January 28<sup>th</sup>, 2015.
    - Presentation by Bev Tittle-Baker on the Care Partners work in Mesa.
    - Presentation by Chief Heston Slibert on the Anti-Defamation League work on hate crimes.
  11. Adjournment.

**\*Members of the audience may address the Board on any item. State Statute prohibits the Human Relations Advisory Board from discussing an item that is not on the agenda.**

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